

## House Resolution No.

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives now pause to recognize Dr. Henry D. Shannon, Chancellor of St. Louis Community College, who is being honored with the Lifetime Award from the St. Louis American Foundation; and

**Whereas**, St. Louis Community College is a multi-campus system consisting of the Florissant Valley, Forest Park, and Meramec campuses, in addition to four major off-campus centers serving St. Louis City, St. Louis County, and portions of Jefferson and Franklin counties; and

**Whereas**, Dr. Shannon, who has served as Chancellor since January of 2000, earned his undergraduate degree from Harris Stowe State University and his master's and doctorate degrees from Washington University, in St. Louis; and

**Whereas**, Dr. Shannon began his career with St. Louis Community College in 1983 as Dean of Student Services at the Forest Park campus and was named President of the campus in 1992; and

**Whereas**, prior to his career with St. Louis Community College, Dr. Shannon was a teacher and counselor in the St. Louis Public School System and worked as a counselor and administrator at Harris Stowe State University; and

**Whereas**, after leaving Harris Stowe State University, Dr. Shannon was an administrator at Saint Louis University, where he directed the Upward Bound program and was the Assistant Director of Student Educational Services Center; and

**Whereas**, Dr. Shannon continues to be an advocate for students and student success, and his dissertation focused on strategies to enhance the achievement of American-American high school students; and

**Whereas**, Dr. Shannon is currently active in many community organizations to support the success of students and citizens in the St. Louis metropolitan area:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join to extend our congratulations to Dr. Shannon on the illustrious occasion of his being honored with the Lifetime Award from the St. Louis American Foundation; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Dr. Henry D. Shannon.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Jane Cunningham  
District No. 86

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Representative Rodney R. Hubbard  
District No. 58

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. \_\_\_\_, adopted \_\_\_\_, 2007.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker